

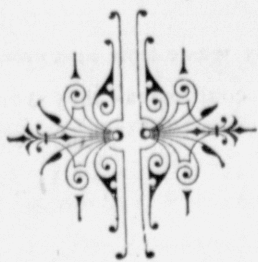
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BRYAN TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 22, 1900.

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## FLOOD LOSS IS GREAT

It Is Estimated it Already Exceeds  
Three Million Dollars.

### FULL REPORT NOT IN

Several Mississippi Towns Are Still Cut  
Off and Others Partly Under  
Water—The Corn Crop Is  
a Total Loss.

Jackson, Miss., April 21.—The flood which commenced a week ago has already caused, at a conservative estimate, fully \$3,000,000 loss in central and southern Mississippi, to say nothing of the damages sustained by the railroads. The extent of the losses have not yet been fully realized, and it may be some days before an accurate total can be reached.

The situation here is deplorable. A section of the southern portion of the city is submerged with the backwater from Pearl river. Surrounded on three sides by water, the city is confronted with the danger of a water famine, as the overflow has put out the fires in the pump-house of the waterworks and compelled the plant to close down.

It is reported that 27 miles of track of the new Gulf and Ship Island road between Jackson and Hattiesburg has been washed away and Leaf river has broken from its banks and is spreading out over the country.

Authentic reports regarding the damage to crops in country districts adjacent to Vicksburg have come to hand. From these reports the devastation and ruin is widespread, crops, especially corn, being well nigh a total loss. Nearly every bridge in the country was carried away and caving banks have obliterated the roadbeds in many places.

Half a score of towns are still completely cut off from the outside world, as they have been since Monday.

From the Chunky river swamps, near Enterprise, comes reports of heavy loss of life.

The loss in Columbia and its immediate vicinity is \$500,000. Many farm houses were carried away by the mad waters, the occupants barely escaping with their lives, and the number of cattle drowned is great. Many gins and mill houses have been washed away.

#### Shipyard for Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Tex., April 21.—W. J. Babcock of Chicago, president of the Chicago Shipbuilding company, was in the city today looking over the facilities for the locating of a shipyard here. Mr. Babcock is here at the instigation of John W. Gates, the steel magnate, and chief promoter of the Kansas City and Southern. Mr. Babcock was entirely satisfied with Port Arthur and selected the location for the yard and other plants that go with it. The yards when completed will give employment to 1,500 men.

#### Woman Killed.

Rio Vista, Tex., April 21.—A young man named Alma Long of Cleburne and Miss Jennie Belle Comer of this place were in a buggy hunting plover, and in crossing a bridge the gun, which was between them, was accidentally discharged with fatal result. The entire load took effect in the young man's shoulder, but it is supposed, the barrel of the gun struck young lady's neck and she died before reaching town. Mr. Long's wound is very serious, but it is thought not necessarily fatal.

#### Emperor Maximilian's Chair.

Laredo, Tex., April 21.—There passed through this city Friday, by freight, carefully crated, a huge and elaborately carved arm chair, consigned from the City of Mexico to parties in Cleveland, O. It was the chair occupied by Maximilian when he was created emperor of Mexico. The chair shows signs of hard usage, but attracted much attention during its stay here.

#### Killed in a Roadhouse.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 21.—George Smith, a blacksmith of Kennedale, near here, aged about 35 years, was shot to death. Ernest L. Thielmann, proprietor of the Mansfield roadhouse, beer garden and bowling alley, about two miles and a half from Fort Worth, is charged with the shooting. After the homicide he came to the city and surrendered to Deputy Sheriff Brock.

#### Messenger Smith Reaches Paris.

Paris, April 21.—James Francis Smith, the American district telegraph boy who is bearing to President Kruger a message of sympathy from Philadelphia and New York school boys, arrived here Friday. He will sail from Marseilles April 26, but before leaving he will have an interview with Dr. Leyds at The Hague.

#### Big Purchase of Cypress Timber.

Orange, Tex., April 21.—W. H. Stark and Dr. E. W. Brown of this place and Captain John Dibert of Litcher, La., have purchased the saw and shingle mill, 60,000,000 feet of cypress timber, a dredge boat and two pull boats and everything connected with the plant.

#### Woman Makes a Daring Leap.

New York, April 21.—Miss Marie Dinse of this city jumped from the Brooklyn bridge without serious injuries. Melancholia is given as the cause for the attempt to destroy herself.

#### Packing House Explosion.

Rawlins, Mich., April 21.—The packing house of the Ajax dynamite mills blew up here killing William Weaver, Ed Halligan and William Van Vassler. They were blown to atoms.

#### NOTABLE GATHERING.

Two Thousand Missionaries Meet from  
All Parts of the World.

New York, April 21.—With ex-President Benjamin Harrison to bid them welcome, there gathered today in Carnegie hall more than 2000 missionaries from almost every quarter of the globe. For ten years preparations have been under way for the meeting known as the Ecumenical conference on foreign missions, and it is the third of its kind ever held. Every branch of the Christian church is represented except the Roman Catholic and Greek and that branch of the Anglican church known as the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

The foreign missionary work of the world is conducted by seven great societies. They are the Christian Missionary society, which represents the Evangelical party of the Church of England and is almost as large as the others together; the Society of the Propagation of the Gospel, representing the Catholic party in the Church of England, and which declined to attend the conference; the London Missionary society of the Congregational church; the American Board of Foreign Missions, also of the Congregational church; the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions; Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, and the American Baptist Missionary Union.

The sessions of the conference will last until May 1, not including Sundays. On Sundays the delegates will occupy the city pulpits. The Protestant Foreign Missionary societies of the world spent about \$15,000,000 last year to advance their work. That is exclusive of money expended in England and America. Every cent of this vast sum was used to convert non-Christians to Christianity.

This great work was first started in close of the eighteenth century and in the beginning of the nineteenth. The great problem now is how to get money and then how to get the greatest portion of every dollar given to non-Christians whom they desired to convert. At present, it is said, 92 cents on the dollar actually reaches the heathen, and it is hoped the cost of administration will be much reduced.

In the list of honorary vice presidents of the conference are ex-President Grover Cleveland, J. Pierpont Morgan, Seth Low, William E. Dodge, ex-Governor W. J. Northern of Georgia and Miss Helen Gould.

#### DEWEY HESITATES.

He Is in a Quandary About Making His  
Political Statement.

Washington, April 21.—It is said that Admiral Dewey is hesitating about issuing his political statement. Men close to the Admiral are urging him to speak and to speak promptly, while others are impressing upon him the value of the rule "silence is golden." The Admiral is inclined to regard this rule with favor and to believe this is not the time for him to talk. His mail and his callers assure him that his candidacy is progressing favorably. What is there for him to gain? he ask himself, by issuing a statement?

Admiral Dewey thinks the time to act is when an emergency arises. He is closely watching political developments in the several states. His friends are keeping him advised of the situation and are actively trying to break the Bryan forces in his behalf.

The Admiral is particularly interested in Georgia and Texas. If the delegates in those states can be sent to Kansas City without instructions or with instructions to vote for the Admiral, the latter believes the Bryan south would be transformed into the Dewey south.

Admiral Dewey's friends are somewhat disappointed over the failure of former President Cleveland to mention him, either directly or indirectly, in his letter of regret to the Thomas Jefferson dinner of the Brooklyn Democratic club. Mr. Cleveland is recognized as favorable to the Admiral's candidacy, and Dewey's friends think he could have given impetus to the Dewey boom by inserting some reference to the Admiral's candidacy in his letter.

There is reason to believe that had Mr. Cleveland made some pleasant reference to the Admiral's candidacy the statement of Mr. Dewey's political views would have been immediately forthcoming. The Admiral's friends are anxious, if it be determined to make the statement, that it shall be issued at a happy moment.

## Do you trade here?

We are very anxious in some way or other to have you trade at our store. Of course we don't expect you to gratify our wishes in the matter because we want you to. We know that our business affairs are of no particular interest to you unless there is something in it for you. That is why we urge the fact on you that our store is the best place for you to buy groceries. It is to your advantage at all times to give us an opportunity to supply your wants. You will find no deception or misrepresentation in our methods. We guarantee to please you.

## THE BRYAN GROCERY Company.

'Phone 40.

#### Big Shipment of Mexican Cattle.

El Paso, Tex., April 21.—Cattle raisers in Mexico on the line of the Rio Grande, Sierra Madre and Pacific road, made application to General Traffic Manager J. T. Logan of that line for 300 livestock cars. Next week three of the big cattle raisers will begin shipping 15,000 head of cattle through this port for ranges in Texas, New Mexico and Colorado, where the cattle are to be fattened for market.

#### Copper Found.

Galena, Kas., April 21.—Another ore has been discovered here besides lead, zinc and gold. The last ore found is copper, but in just how large quantities it abounds can not yet be told. Many think the formation of the ground here is favorable for copper.

#### Seven Years for Murder.

McKinney, Tex., April 21.—Jim Patterson, a 17-year-old negro boy, was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary for the murder of his sweetheart, Tildy Jones a few weeks ago.

## "Gettin' Money From Home"

Is a fine thing, as everyone will agree—the next best thing is keeping it at home. You may think your laundry bill is a small item when you send it away from home, but many small orders sent away make a big hole in the profits of a home enterprise.

### THE AMERICAN LAUNDRY

Guarantees to do strictly first-class work promptly and at reasonable prices. We cheerfully correct all mistakes when called to our attention. Drop us a postal or 'phone 141 and we will get your bundle and appreciate your patronage. Two doors south of Exchange hotel.

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Having purchased the Livery business of Jas. O. Kernole, which is the best equipped stable in Bryan, we are prepared to serve the public at all hours day and night, with

## Knobby Rigs of all Kinds,

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SAME OLD STAND. 'PHONE 112.

### J. V. BROGDON, Proprietor.

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That's what you do when you go on buying groceries month after month, without looking about to see if you cannot do better yourself by getting the same quality of goods at a lower price. Top quality and bottom prices are the inducements I offer for your consideration. I do not have to tack on large profits, because I have no heavy expenses. Give me a trial order.

DEE MIKE, JR.,  
'phone 55.



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**SEAL BRAND**  
**JAVA AND MOCHA**  
*THE STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE*

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Fancy Evaporated Peaches,  
Evaporated and sun dried Apples,  
Loose Muscatel Raisins,  
Prunes.

Three 1-lb packages currants 25c,  
Try our Polly brand canned molasses  
put up in gallon and 1-2 gallon cans.

When buying your next coffee or flour  
don't take something guaranteed to be as  
good, but get the original

## MAGNOLIA FLOUR

—AND—  
**Chase & Sanborn's**  
**roasted coffees**

are recognized all over the world as the  
standards of excellence.

**DANSBY &**  
**DANSBY,**

'PHONE 114.

## Shipping Horses to Cuba.

Mr. J. T. Hall was in Bryan yesterday en route to Cuba to sell ponies. He shipped two car loads of ponies to Cuba a few days since, via New Orleans. He will reach New Orleans by the time the horses do, and will take ship from there, and will go with them to Havana. Mr. Hall says this is not the first lot of horses he has shipped to the island, having sent two shipments before. He made close to a thousand dollars on the first lot, and lost nearly \$400 on the last lot shipped. He says the Cubans want a stout, heavy built pony bay or sorrel in color. He gathered up his last lot out on the Texas and Pacific, west of Weatherford. He sells a good pony for about \$80 in Cuba, and says he must have good luck in buying and transportation, also in striking the market right, to make a profit after paying all expenses.

Mr. Hall says on his first trip to Cuba he was much surprised to find that the Cubans did not love Americans very much. He expected that all that was necessary for an American in Cuba, to insure his being received with open arms, was to let it be known that he was an American. But he found it to be just the reverse. The natives over there hate the people from the states, while the intelligent class of Spaniards treat Americans well.

For Kaffir corn, Mexican June corn, Alfalfa hay and feed stuffs call on Wooten & Harder. 122

Marriage licenses: Hisbon Wilson to Eva Kinnard, Albert Calhoun to Mamie Banks.

See Levy Bros.' up-to-date baby buggies. 122

## Hotel Arrivals.

### EXCHANGE.

A C Pancost, San Antonio; Dan F. Parker Jr., R D Parker, August McAlpine, Calvert; W T McCutcheon, Hutto; J E Butler, City; W H Morenues, Harvey, Ill; T E Gideon, Louisville; Jack Steele, McKinney; W N McCracken, Dallas; L H Fitzlebaum, Atlanta; G M Winstead, Houston; W F Rich, Columbus, O.

### CENTRAL.

H K Hancock, Stranger; J M Griswold, Galveston; R L Pounds, Harvey; V R Hardy, City; T G Page, Bryan; Clarence Shepherd, Kurten; J B Lloyd, Reliance.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Congress, Seventh congressional district:

T. S. HENDERSON,  
of Cameron. Subject to the Democratic nominating convention.

For State Senator, Twelfth senatorial district:

JOHN A. WAYLAND,  
[(for re-election.)]

Subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

For State Senator, Twelfth senatorial district:

J. R. ASTIN.

Subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

For Representative Fifty-fifth Representative district:

DR. J. L. FOUNTAIN.

Subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

For Representative Fifty-fifth Representative district:

W. H. NALL.

Subject to the action of the democratic convention.

Quality that has no competition

# CLAPP'S Shoes

Why waste time and money on inferior makes. If feet  
could speak they would insist on your covering  
them with the famous

Edwin Clapp bench made shoe

They give comfort to the feet, wear longest and look  
best. Spring styles now here.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 1900.

Statisticians have figured it out that the Boer war is costing Great Britain \$700 a minute, or a total expenditure of \$300,000,000 for the nine months of the war. Aside from the enormous cost in treasure, it is said that England has lost over 23,000 soldiers in killed, and captured and otherwise put out of action since the war began.

### An Eighty First Birthday.

Grandma Lawrence celebrated her eighty-first birthday with a dinner at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Parker on Friday, April 20, and had present three children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Derden, Mrs. J. C. Lawrence, and Mrs. T. E. Armstrong of Dallas; nine grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Castles, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. M. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lawrence, Tom, Henry, Kate, and James Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Josey of Huntsville, and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Parker, with nine great grandchildren, Mary Watt; Knight of Dallas, Lenore and Jack Josey of Huntsville, Della Lawrence, J. M. Lawrence Jr., Lawrence Castles, Mary Ross Parker and Dorcas Parker.

Pasturage from date until Sept. 1, cows 50c; horses \$1; cows by month only, \$1 each. Must make arrangement for the season to get the 50c rate. tf J. M. Caldwell.

Mr. Tom Searcy, one of the proprietor and manager, of the Bryan Grocery company, was a visitor in the city the past week. Mr. Searcy was raised in Madison county and is known to most all our people. The business which he represents and is interested in was formerly conducted by John B. Mike who was noted as a buyer of all kinds of country produce and Mr. Searcy says the reputation of the former owner will be sustained by him. We wish him success in his business.—Madisonville Meteor.

Assessor Nall has returned from a trip to the country north of Cedar creek and reports an epidemic of la grippe in that vicinity. He also reports the death of Mr. Billie Drew, age 84, and one of the oldest citizens of the county. He died near Macy Sunday night, and was buried Tuesday afternoon at the House burying ground near Edge. He leaves several children, among whom are Messrs. Tom and Charlie Drew, Mrs. John Beard, Mrs. George McLendon and Mrs. Carter.

There was a friendly suit instituted for partition of the J. Zulch estate at this term of court and E. B. Seay, J. C. Morris and S. M. Nichols were appointed commissioners to make the partition and will complete same today. There has been no controversy among those interested, the commissioners doing their work in such an impartial and fair manner as to bring favorable comments from all. The estate is estimated at about \$80,000.—Madisonville Meteor.

### TRY THE NEW

## City Bakery

—FOR—  
**Fresh Bread, Rolls,  
Cakes and Pies,**

Delivered to any part of  
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E. GRIESSER, : Proprietor  
Two doors below Webb Bros.

## Toilet Soaps

We have just received a shipment of Grahams Toilet Soaps in the following select odors:

CARNATION PINK  
JOCKY CLUB  
FRANGIPANNI  
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MIGNONETTE

ROSE OF SHARON  
BOUQUET OF FLOWERS  
JASMINE  
VIOLET  
HELIOTROPE

Prices range 10c to 25c per box of 3 cakes; also the well known

**Grahams Lana Oil and Buttermilk  
Soaps**

and Packer's Tar, Pears' Glycerine, Cashmere Boquet, Cuticura, Hood's, Glenn's, Sulphur, Heiskell's, Woodbury's, Palmer's, Etc.

EMMEL'S PRESCRIPTION PHARMACY.

# \$10,000 dry goods and millinery stock thrown on the market

Having been appointed assignee of the W. C. Gilmore stock of Dry Goods and Millinery, I desire to invite the public to a feast of bargains. The stock is bright, fresh and new throughout—new spring goods and the latest and most elegant millinery. Don't fail to call early and make your selections.

**J. W. LEIGH, Assignee.**



# Have you got a sample of the famous Ferndale salad dressing?

I have a good many other good things to eat. If not already a customer buy a bill from me and you will continue to be a customer of mine. I have a quantity of fruit jars, quarts and one-half gallon to offer the trade.

**John Chaney Kernole.**

## H. & T. C. Time Card, Bryan

Northbound No. 1.....12:30 p. m.  
Southbound No. 2.....3:55 p. m.  
Northbound No. 3.....1:25 a. m.  
Southbound No. 4.....3:17 a. m.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Linmore Nall went to Conroe yesterday.

A large assortment of screens at Levy Bros. 122

Window shades of all kinds at Levy Bros. 122

Sam Meredith was here from Milligan yesterday.

Car of hulls on the track for sale by Edge Bros. 21

Dr. W. P. Jones of Bethel was in town yesterday.

Drink Mt. Vernon Pure Rye at the Exposition saloon. 153tf

Prof. R. L. Pounds was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Smoke Metropolitan cigars sold at Exposition Saloon. dtf

I wish to buy a few good Jersey heifers. T. S. Minter. 124

Mrs. W. S. Howell returned from San Antonio yesterday.

Brook Hill Whisky—finest on earth—Exposition saloon. tf

Mrs. John McCorquodale came up from Navasota yesterday.

Mrs. R. B. Easley of Galveston is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. J. Ford.

The best and largest bales of Alfa hay at Wooten & Harder's. 122

Mrs. M. Register was in the city yesterday, visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Buchanan.

Wanted—Good sized combination buggy and saddle horse. Apply to Dr. J. M. Nicks, Stone City. 121

San Jacinto Day was celebrated at the A. and M. College yesterday with the annual field day sports.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiprecht, Mrs. W. H. Oliver, Miss Frances Parker and Miss Dona Coulter left yesterday for an extended trip to Mexico.

Mrs. W. Davis Cox and son Adair left Tuesday for Memphis, Tenn., their future home, that being the headquarters of Mr. Cox, who is now representing the American Type Founders Association in Tennessee. Our best wishes attend them for success and happiness.—Huntsville Item.

Lost—A blue horse mule, 17 hands high, 12 years old, not roached for some time. Got away from Batte's farm in the Brazos bottom and was last seen in Bryan going north. \$5.00 reward for return to T. R. Batte, Bryan, Texas. 121 27

Christian science services every Sunday at 3 p. m. and Wednesday evening. Meeting this evening at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. W. R. Rhodes. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Presbyterian ladies will receive at the home of Mrs. A. D. McConico Thursday, April 26, from 3 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. Refreshments will be served. All are invited. 126

For Sale—Two full blooded Devon bulls, one four years and the other fourteen months old—best registered stock. Apply to Jas. O. Chance. d123

Prof. R. E. Scott was here from Edge yesterday, and stated that a picnic and concert will be given at the close of his school, March 4.

Wooten & Harder have just received from Chihuahua, Mexico, a shipment of the celebrated Mexican June corn. 122

FOR RENT—Nice large cottage, convenient to business and school. Apply to R. S. Webb. 121

Dr. J. M. Nicks, C. A. Glenn and S. S. Kennedy were here from Stone City yesterday.

WANTED—Good second hand buggy. Address Box 340, Bryan, Texas, stating price. tf

Marriage license were issued yesterday to W. M. Carroll and Nettie Belle Phipps.

Mrs. Charles McLendon and children returned to Calvert yesterday.

A new line of Portiers at Levy Bros. 122

# Time to change your underwear

Below we give a few hints to those who have to purchase a new supply.

Fish net Undershirts, each .....	25c
Fancy Blue Stripe Balbriggan Suit .....	50c
Unbleached Balbriggan in Fancy open work pattern, suit .....	50c
French unbleached Balbriggan, smooth finish, suit .....	1.00
Cream drop stitch pattern, suit ..	1.00
Fancy colored diamond shape pattern, suit .....	1.00
Fancy colored land stripe effect, suit .....	1.00
Very light weight cream gauze, handsomely finished in light blue silk, suit .....	1.50
Extra fine quality of pure white Lisle thread, beautiful garments, suit .....	2.00
Feather weight cross barred nainsook, small checks, suits ..	1.00
Patent elastic seam drawers in bleach Drill and Nainsook.	
We break any of our underwear suits and will sell either drawers or shirts.	

# Parks & Waldrop, MENS OUTFITTERS.

We wish to secure the services of a local or traveling salesman to sell our line of lubricating and refined oils, greases, paints and white lead. Salary or Commission. Address The American Petroleum Product Co. Office and Refinery, Findlay, Ohio.

Rev. E. L. Shettles will preach in the Methodist church this morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 8 o'clock, Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Epworth League 7 p. m. The evening sermon will be addressed especially to young men. All are invited to these services.

Mrs. W. M. Foster and children, Mrs. Milton Sims and Miss Watkins returned from Austin yesterday.

Dan Parker, R. D. Parker and Angus McAlphine came down from Calvert to attend the Foster hop.

J. H. White was here from Wickson yesterday.

## Real Estate for Sale.

I want to sell the west half of the Wilson block in lots to suit purchasers. I also have several desirable building lots in different parts of town, and some tenant houses all of which are now rented. All the above I will sell reasonably and on long time payments. Apply to 122 Dr. George R. Tabor.

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All Chronic Diseases Treated.

Consultation and Examination Free.

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## ATTACKED METHUEN.

Boers Swoop Down upon Him, but He Succeeded in Escaping.

Boshoff, April 21.—At midday Friday General Methuen's field force at Swartzkopjesfontein was ordered to return to Boshoff. Its convoy extended over six miles. The escort took up a position on the hill, commanding the road, just in the nick of time, as a force of 2000 Boers with two guns suddenly appeared in the vicinity and opened a very heavy fire. The British, however, held them in check until the column reached a point of safety when they retired.

The British had several casualties and the Boers fought determinedly and must have suffered considerably as they once advanced to within 300 yards of the hill whence were concealed a detachment of British who opened a heavy fusillade on them.

## NEARING WEPENER.

British Relief Reported in Twenty Miles of the Town.

London, April 21.—General Chermiside's and Gen. Rundle's division was only 20 miles from Wepener Friday, so unless unforeseen difficulties arise they should be in touch with the little colonial force which was besieged there by the Boers. As governor of the Free State Major General Pretorius is organizing a corps of mounted police and dividing the country into sections to be administered by commissions, probably army officers.

The transport Portugal with 800 troops from Lisbon has arrived at Lorenzo Marquez. The presence of these reinforcements will make Portugal feel easier regarding the Boers protest against the British use of Beira.

From Ladysmith, under date of April 20, comes the news that firing was heard in the direction of Sundays river. It was maintained for about an hour.

Sniping and Boer activity are reported at Khipdam.

## To Relief of Wepener.

London, April 21.—Gen. Chermiside and General Rundle are moving over the sodden roads. Rain was still falling when they went into camp Thursday afternoon 18 miles west of Dewetsdorp. They hold the railway and the southern frontier of the Free State with 20,000 men.

How many are going with the generals who will engage the Boers at Wepener is not mentioned in the latest dispatches from Oorlogspoort, where the British bivouacked Wednesday night. The field telegraph ends there.

On Thursday the Boers still had Col. Dalgetty closely penned.

## Boer Guns Silenced.

Bloemfontein, April 20.—Continuing their march today, Generals Chermiside and Rundle came into contact with the Boers near Dewetsdorp at noon. Fighting continued until dark, and was principally carried on by artillery, which temporarily silenced two of the Boer guns.

## PLAGUE AT MANILA.

Fourteen Deaths Have Occurred Within a Week in the City.

Manila, April 21.—Deaths of natives and Chinamen in Quiapo market led to an investigation showing that 15 cases of the plague, 14 of which were fatal, occurred this week. The market is located in the centre of the city. In black rotten wooden buildings, keepers of stalls live with their families huddled together in great filth. Some victims were stricken and died within an hour. There has been some deaths in other sections of the city recently, which have been traced to infection from the market. After all the market people had been gathered together the health officers became a guard around the buildings and will keep inmates quarantined there for a fortnight. They will then burn the market.

The total number of bubonic deaths here have been 119 Chinamen and 66 Filipinos. The plague elsewhere has been suppressed. Not one infected person has been in the Chinese district for 10 days past.

Colonel Hardin and Major Case with a battalion of the Twenty-ninth infantry has sailed for the Islands Marinduque and Mahabtan. It is reported the insurgents there have 250 rifles and 7000 rounds of ammunition. Dr. Burgis, a prominent native of Marinduque and a supporter of the Americans, accompanies the expedition to try and convince the inhabitants of the wisdom of surrender.

## Colson Testimony Finished.

Frankfort, April 21.—Taking of evidence in the trial of ex-Congressman D. G. Colson has been concluded. The prosecution today introduced half a dozen or more witnesses from Scott's former home, Somerset, and also from Lexington, where he resided at the time of his death, all of whom testified he was a man of good character and not quarrelsome or vicious. At the conclusion of this testimony both sides rested.

## Changes Name.

Minneapolis, April 21.—E. S. Corser, executive agent of the silver Republicans makes the announcement that the name of the party will be changed to Lincoln Republicans. The party will meet at Kansas City at the same time as the Democrats and at effort will be made by the party to place ex-Congressman Towne on the ticket with Bryan.

## Flood in South Carolina.

Greenville, April 21.—Rainfall in this section of the south the past two days has been terrific and almost continuous. All streams are higher than for years and many are still rising.

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10 Pieces white lawn, worth 6 1/4 yard, special .....	4 1/2c
5c Figured lawns, special price per yard .....	3 3/4c
15c Indian dimitry, special price .....	12 1/2c
10c Assorted colors percal one yard wide, special price .....	7c
\$1.25 Ladies strap slippers, special price .....	95c
\$1.00 Ladies tan strap slippers, special price .....	79c
\$2.50 Ladies fine cloth top oxfords, tan or black, special price ..	\$1.98
\$1.50 Boy's lace dress shoe, special price .....	1.15
40c Gents fancy colored under shirts, special price .....	29c
50c Gents Balbriggan under shirts, special price .....	39c
40c Youths Balbriggan under shirts, special price .....	29c
\$1.00 Gents Garland stretchy and seam drawers, special price ..	69c
75c Gents perfect fitting percal laundried shirts, special price ..	50c
\$6.50 Mens fine dress suits, assorted colors all wool special ..	4.75
\$4.50 Mens fine dress suits, assorted colors, all wool special ..	2.85
\$7.50 Youths dress suits, all wool, ask to see them special ..	5.50
Large bunch of roses, worth 25 cents, special price .....	10c
Half wreath roses worth 40 cents, bunch, special price .....	25c
Pinks assorted shades, worth 15 cents, special price .....	9c
15c Pulley belt buckles, special price .....	10c
35c Pulley belt buckles, special price .....	22c
15c boys caps assorted colors, special price .....	10c
\$1.00 Ladies near silk assorted colors, undershirts, special ..	69c
22 cents Turkey red table damask, special price .....	15c
Fine cigars 50 in a box, special price per box .....	75c
1000 Yards of lace to be closed out at reduced prices.	
Ladies fine percal wrappers trimmed with braid, special price ..	79c
15c Extra large cotton towels, special price each .....	10c
65c Ladies parasols, special price each .....	45c
\$1.50 Hammock, special price .....	95c

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### MUCH IMPROVEMENT.

Plans Being Pushed to Handle on  
Southern Soil the Products of  
the Farmer—Cotton Mills  
Enlarging in the South.

Baltimore, April 21.—During the past week new activity has come to the Birmingham iron district and there is every indication of further advance. Business is no longer scattering and confined to small flats, but it is broadening and buyers of good round lots are taking what they can get. The changed aspect of the foreign trade of late has tended to strengthen the domestic trade. Foreign inquiry for iron has increased rapidly and is now of greater magnitude than ever before. One of the leading factories in the Birmingham trade registered during the week inquires for 75,000 tons of iron for export and has cabled prices on all that it cared to take. The inquiries do not come from any particular district in any one country, but are so widespread as to indicate that stocks abroad are approaching depletion, and that iron buyers must take what they can get. Among the sale was one of 1900 tons to Antwerp, on the basis of \$16.50 at Birmingham for No. 3 foundry.

While there are prospects of an increase in the cotton acreage in many states, as a rule the farmers have not lost their heads, but while increasing cotton acreage, they are also planting larger areas of corn which will prepare them for any turn of the market. In the meanwhile plans are steadily progressing for equipment to handle on southern soil the product of the plantations.

Applications have been made for a charter for the Carolina mill at Greenville, S. C., which will start with 3000 spindles, to be increased by 2000 for yarns.

The Oil Pioneer Cotton mill at Memphis, Tenn., with 14,000 spindles and 2500 looms will be put in operation within a month.

A site has been obtained for the mill of the Calmacha Cotton company of Sanford, N. C., and arrangements for the erection of the building will be made immediately.

The Guntersville Cotton Mill company of Guntersville, Ala., will equip its plant with about 3000 spindles for the manufacture of coarse yarns.

The Cochran Cotton Mill company of Cochran, Ga., will invest \$50,000 in a factory.

The Girard Cotton Mills at Girard, Ala., will have an equipment of 138 looms to manufacture plaids and gingham from yarns obtained from the Eagle and Phoenix Manufacturing company of Columbus, Ga. The plant will be operated by electricity.

The Walton Cotton Mills company of Monroe, Ga., will start with 3200 spindles to be increased to 5000.

Capital to the amount of \$50,000 has been subscribed for a mill of 3000 spindles at China Grove, N. C., to make medium yarns.

The Hampton Cotton mills of Hampton, Ga., will begin building within a month.

Among the additions to existing plants are a cotton factory to spin cotton for the Park Woolen mills at Rossville, Ga.

Seven thousand spinning spindles and 500 twisting spindle for the Manchester Cotton Mills of Rock Hill, S. C., to be installed in a two-story building 85 by 225 feet, and 35 cottages for operatives.

A dyeing plant for the Seaboard Knitting mills of Henderson, N. C.

Plans are well under way for a 25,000 spindle and 750 loom cotton mill at Chattanooga, Tenn.

The Orangeburg, S. C., Knitting mill will have an equipment of 20 machines and a dyeing plant to manufacture full and half hose in black and colors.

### Honors for Confederate Veterans.

Atlanta, April 21.—The "Southern Cross of Honor" to be bestowed on Confederate veterans by the Daughters of the Confederacy will be ready for presentation next Thursday, Memorial day. The "Southern Cross of Honor" is the gift of the Daughters of the Confederacy to all soldiers of the south who left the service in good standing. It is made of iron, and while not costly, is exceedingly handsome both in design and workmanship.

### Maud Gonne Sues for Libel.

Dublin, April 21.—At the police court here Miss Maud Gonne secured a summons for malicious libel against Mr. Colles, editor of the Irish Figaro, for publishing a statement that she was a pensioner of the government and therefore a government spy. The hearing is fixed for April 26.

### Miner Killed at Galena.

Galena, Kas., April 21.—Alfred Cartwright, was instantly killed in a mine here by a large rock falling from an ascending bucket of dirt. The rock fell about 50 feet, striking him on top of the head and crushing in the skull.

### For Corpus Christi Trade.

Galveston, April 21.—A deal was closed here for the steamer Cumberland by the Corpus Christi and Galveston Steamship company. She is an 88-ton steel screw steamer, and will be used in the Corpus Christi trade.

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